

Our Correspondents.

Ladd

Health is very good now in this vicinity.

We surely are having plenty of rain.

Gardens and potatoes are looking fine.

The farmers are most all done planting corn.

Prayer meeting at Ladd Saturday night wasn't very well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. John Umfleet, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Fowler and Roscoe Wilson were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roberson Saturday night.

The Ladd boys have a new croquet set.

Miss Myrtle Fowler was the guest of Misses Flora and Ophel Clubb Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Fowler visited her mother, Mrs. Carelton, Friday night and Saturday.

As news is scarce I will close.

—LONESOME.

Bessville

Geo. Killian and family of Fredericktown visited relatives in our midst from Saturday until Monday.

Several from our neighborhood attended the Decoration day services at Trace creek.

"Dad" Moore is sawing a barn pattern for Chas. Hale.

The rains have greatly benefited the people in this community, while some damage was done by the high water, yet the benefit greatly exceeds the damage.

D. O. McLean and daughter, Miss Mabel, visited relatives in the country a few days last week.

Mrs. Elmer Sitzes visited relatives in the country last week.

Saturday, June 5, is Clean-up Day at Union cemetery. Everyone interested in the cemetery there are invited to come and help. Also the W. O. W. will meet there that day and unveil the monument of Hosea Hale.

Buck Dees of Walnut Grove was in this vicinity last week, buying sheep.

—OLD UNCLE JAS.

Panther Creek

Health is good.

Plenty of rain.

Crops looking fine.

Roy Lessley was at Scopus on special business Saturday.

Fred Burford was attending to some business out at Esquire James's court Saturday.

Quite a lot of damage was done to crops in the low bottoms along the creeks during the recent high waters.

D. C. Hahn and son were out buying sheep last week. Lum says there's money in sheep and goats.

Ode Kistner and Marion Cook went up and assisted in cleaning off the Cook cemetery Saturday.

S. E. Dewitt of Scopus came down the creek on business last week.

H. J. Lincoln passed down the creek Sunday in a new runabout which he recently purchased. He said he was going over near Millersville to buy a wheat harvester. Henry says the Hessian fly did not damage his wheat and he expected to harvest a bumper crop.

Well, as news is scarce I'll close for this time.

—JIM.

Hog Creek

Health is very good in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bollinger and son, Leo, visited their son and brother, John, of Lutesville Saturday night.

The services at Hahn chapel last Saturday were not very well attended on account of the threatening condition of the weather.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bollinger and children of Lutesville visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Bollinger, here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Blanken and family and nephew, Edwin, visited Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Schreiner and family Sunday.

The Children's day services at Hickory Grove church was well attended Sunday.

George Schreiner and Miss Alpha

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Craft attended the Children's day exercises at Hickory Grove Sunday.

There will be preaching at Locust Grove church Saturday night and Sunday.

H. F. Schreiner made a business trip to town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Formway visited Mr. and Mrs. Otto Reitzel Sunday.

Andy Bollinger and son, Leo, and daughter, Mrs. W. C. Hartwig, made a trip to town Friday afternoon.

Roy Fortway attended Children's day exercises at Hickory Grove Sunday.

Misses Audrey and Nellie Sadler and brother, Albert, attended Children's day exercises at Lufkin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Howard and children of Gravel Hill attended Children's day exercises at Hickory Grove Sunday.

T. and T.

Grassy

Health is very good in this vicinity.

J. E. Haynes visited his father last week, who is reported very sick.

We have all been blessed with a fine rain which has improved everything.

Mrs. Silas McCormick was shopping at Cooper & Haynes' last Thursday.

J. E. Haynes made a business trip to Glen Allen Tuesday.

Geo. E. Mouser and wife were visiting home folks Tuesday.

Ben Hitt and Green Cox of near Advance were visiting J. N. Matthews last week.

John Rea's baby is reported very sick.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chronister May 22, a boy. Frank is stepping as high as a blind horse.

J. G. Matthews and son, Raymond, of Fredericktown are visiting home folks and friends in this vicinity.

Ezra Hill spent Saturday night and Sunday with his grandparents.

Miss Dora Chronister attended a big baptizing at Dongola last Sunday. She reported a nice time.

Will Matthews was seen going west Sunday. That's a long road, Will.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin McCormick visited near Lutesville Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Lizzie Whitener is visiting Mrs. Rosie Kinder on Castor this week.

Best wishes to THE PRESS.

—MAY FLOWER.

Lone Grove

Health is very good at present.

The heavy rains of last week did much damage to the corn crop and land.

Mr. and Mrs. Sike Dockins of Millerville visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Bollinger, recently.

Church at Lone Grove was well attended Saturday night and Sunday.

Asa B. Newell of Mount Zion came home from Kennett Thursday.

A Mr. Willard of near Burfordville attended church here Sunday.

The decoration at the Cook cemetery Saturday was not very well attended.

Sunday school at Mount Zion is

progressing nicely. All are invited to attend.

Jesse Page of Kennett accompanied A. B. Newell home and visited relatives near Mount Zion.

News is very scarce this week.

Patton

We are having plenty of rain here now and the crops are doing well.

Will Nugent was a guest of the hotel here a few days ago.

Miss Nettie Conrad of Elvins is visiting relatives and friends in this vicinity.

Decoration day was observed here in an appropriate service at the Methodist church, and a large, appreciative congregation was in attendance.

A baseball game was played here Sunday afternoon. The Barrens team played the Patton team. Score 19 to 11 in favor of the Barrens. A large crowd witnessed the game.

Tony Crites and family have just returned home from Elvins—looking for employment—and will move soon.

Rev. O. C. Craig and family are visiting in our town.

Misses Nettie Conrad and Ella Statler and Harley Statler went fishing Monday and caught a monstrous turtle, but got no good fish—went home too soon.

Andrew Heifner, manager of the Patton Mercantile company's store, made a business trip to Lutesville the first of the week.

—SCAREY WILLIAM.

Mayfield

Health is very good.

We have had some heavy rains in this neighborhood which were appreciated, but did some damage to crops, as well as a great deal of good.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Seabaugh and children visited at James Greene's last Sunday.

Wheat in this vicinity looks very well, altho much of it has been damaged by the fly and the hard winter.

Henry Fulton, who has been attending the state normal at Springfield, came home last week. He has been employed to teach the Limbaugh school next winter. The board made a wise selection.

E. R. Mayfield and family visited relatives in this section last Sunday.

Mrs. John Seabaugh of Cape Girardeau is visiting relatives and friends in this vicinity.

R. A. Mayfield is erecting a new dwelling house.

Sunday school and singing at this place every Sunday. The singing is conducted by Prof. T. A. Fulton.

Jacob Long made a trip to Daisy for our merchant, W. D. Mayfield, last Saturday.

Truman Mayfield, who has been in school at Portageville, came home last Sunday, accompanied by his uncle, Dr. P. M. Mayfield.

J. L. Seabaugh went to Cape Girardeau Saturday to have his eyes treated by a specialist.

John Doggett of near Patton was in this vicinity last Sunday.

Stock buyers have been numerous in this section the last week.

Mrs. J. F. Mayfield visited her

daughter on James' creek last Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Vester Woodridge visited relatives near Oak Ridge last week.

Prayer meeting at Little White-water church every Thursday night.

—MAYFIELD.

Glen Allen

Messrs. R. M. Shetley, G. B. Myers, Vest Myers and Noah Sitzes of Castor were transacting business in town Wednesday.

Mrs. Franklin Sitzes of Kennett is visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Zimmerman and other relatives in this vicinity this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Rhodes returned from a business trip to Hoxie, Ark., Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Deck were shopping in town Wednesday.

Misses Marie and Emma Jane Wells of Marble Hill visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Zimmerman from Tuesday until Saturday.

Dr. W. W. Davault and Elery Zimmerman were in Marble Hill Tuesday on business.

Messrs. B. L. Minter and H. B. Miller of Lodge were transacting business in town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Reimier of Castor were trading in town Monday.

Mrs. Chas. Gay is having her home treated to a fresh coat of paint. Louis Mayer of Marble Hill is doing the work.

A. S. Winters and Geo. Burns have painted their residences. What is better than a nice clean residence?

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Huskey, a fine boy.

Mrs. Samuel Rhodes has been visiting relatives at Sedgewick, Ark.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Liley, a fine girl.

A. A. Kinder, Jr., of Castor came in Thursday to meet his sister, Miss Minnie, who has been teaching at Fredericktown.

Mrs. W. S. Edwards, after a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Stevens, returned to her home at New Madrid Thursday.

Noah Kirkpatrick of Grassy was in town a few minutes Thursday on business.

Mrs. Oba Mouser returned from a visit Thursday with relatives at Marquand and Flat River.

E. A. Lincoln came to town Saturday. He has a good crop and likes the farm.

E. A. Murray of Lodge was transacting business in town Saturday.

Mrs. Katie Knowles went to Marquand Saturday for a few days' visit with home folks.

Miss Iona Davault of Marble Hill visited her brother, Dr. and Mrs. Davault, Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bagby and Mr. and Mrs. Grant Sample of Dongola visited relatives and attended the Decoration day services at old Trace Creek Sunday. There was a large crowd with more to eat than was needed.

We have been having plenty of rain and all crops look fine. With a normal season the balance of the year we will raise more in this community than ever was raised before.

We have learned to appreciate the full dinner pail and every acre is being made produce a maximum yield.

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